

THE LACLEDE BLADE.

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"The Old World and Its Ways."

Col. William Jennings Bryan announces a new book of travel entitled "The Old World and Its Ways," which recounts his tour around the world and his journeys through Europe. It is profusely and elegantly illustrated with 240 artistic engravings representing men and things seen in the various countries of the earth during that noted journey. The engravings are made from photographs taken by him or his party specially for this publication. It is the monumental literary work of his life, and it is published under his special supervision. He has, by special contract with his publishers, made the retail prices low down with the view to putting it within the easy reach of every reader of books and every man or woman who thinks.

The book gives his experiences—what he saw and did—whom he met and his impressions and conclusions. He made a profound study of men and things as he saw them in this noted journey around the world. He gives governmental, educational, religious and other conditions, from the standpoint of a student and one profoundly interested in the people of the earth, wherever distributed.

While Col. Bryan traveled as a private citizen he went with the prestige of having made two memorable contests for the presidency of the United States, and he was everywhere recognized and entertained as a great representative American, having a leading part in the direction of American affairs. He was given opportunity for observation and for ascertaining facts and conditions never before ac-

corded to any one traveling in private capacity.

If one wants to see the world, and the people who are at the head of affairs in all countries, as well as the masses, he has in this book an opportunity of seeing them through the eyes of Col. William Jennings Bryan. It is sold by subscription, and the Thompson Publishing company of St. Louis, Mo., are the fortunate publishers. They offer an opportunity for solicitors in another column of this issue.

What He Might Have Done.

Dowie is dead. That much is sure and it is hoped that his works do not follow him, nor stay behind, but die with him. But after all, he was an example of what an alert, brainy, strenuous man can do, if only his energies are directed aright. What a power Dowie could have been had he but spent those misdirected energies toward bettering the world instead of grafting. Some of the brightest minds in the world are prostituting their powers in a less laudable manner. The common circus and street grafter, if he would but turn his attention to better things, would wield an influence that might turn all channels of iniquity, and it surely would take out of the rank of crooks the bright minds that are therein. It is not the stupid or the dullard that go into these grafting schemes, they could not win, but the brightest men and boys we have. Here is an object lesson for the sociologists to work on, and the conversion of one such is worth a dozen common men.

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DOINGS ABOUT TOWN.

Local Paragraphs Picked up by Pungent Pencil Pusher.

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Try Spurr's teas and coffees. Benson Bros. sell them.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Barton spent Wednesday in Linneus.

Frank E. Watson is spending a couple of weeks in Chillicothe.

Attorney C. C. Bigger is on a business trip to Hot Springs, Ark., this week.

Marvin Estes left Tuesday for Montana where he expects to spend the summer.

V. E. Harter returned Tuesday from spending a couple of weeks in Oklahoma.

For sale:—One good yearling bull. Inquire of L. Eichman, Laclede, Mo. Phone 504.

Mrs. Daisy Edwards, of Linneus, was the guest of Laclede friends the first of the week.

Mrs. Arnold, of Chillicothe, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ausmus the past week.

There is scarcely a front yard fence left in Laclede, several having been removed this week.

Internal Revenue Collector Allen is up from St. Louis spending a few days as his home here.

A. M. Walker has some white O. I. C. brood sows for sale at Fairview Stock Farm, route 3, Laclede.

Geo. Plowman has been in the country this week putting in the foundation for B. F. Griffin's new house.

All the ladies who have carpet balls for the M. E. Aid society, please bring them in at once to Mrs. Foreman's.

Mrs. Ada Pendleton went to Marceline Wednesday to spend a couple of weeks with her son, Walter, and family.

The next regular meeting of the P. E. O. society will be held at the home of Mrs. C. E. Hilton on Wednesday, April 10.

A set of double buggy harness, slightly used, for sale at \$8 by Z. T. Standly. Can be seen at Libby's harness shop.

W. S. Savage has several thousand feet of good native lumber for sale at his farm southeast of Laclede. Call phone 76.

Marriage license has been issued in Livingston county to John Polson, of Grimes, Okla., and Miss Elva Harter, of Laclede.

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